

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following is a complete, marked up listing of revised claims with a status identifier in parentheses, underlined text indicating insertions, and strikethrough and/or double-bracketed text indicating deletions.

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A heater for an electrical fireplace, which heater comprises a heating element and a blower fan, the blower fan being releasably attached to the heating element via interacting members that are provided on the heating element and on the blower fan, which members are designed to be positively engaged with one another to hold the heating element in position relative the blower fan, wherein the interacting members are snap lock members comprising first and second snap lock members, the first snap lock member having at least one pin designed to be positively engaged with the second snap lock member, such that the pin fits in a form fit manner within an opening arranged on the second snap lock member, and wherein at least one of said snap lock members is made from a resilient material, wherein the pin is arranged on a resilient tongue.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Previously Presented) The heater as claimed in claim 1, in which the blower fan is a tangential blower fan.

4. (Currently Amended) A heater for an electrical fireplace, which heater comprises a heating element and a blower fan, the blower fan being releasably

attached to the heating element via interacting members that are provided on the heating element and on the blower fan, which members are designed to be positively engaged with one another to hold the heating element in position relative the blower fan, wherein the interacting members are snap lock members comprising first and second snap lock members, the first snap lock member having at least one pin designed to be positively engaged with the second snap lock member, such that the pin fits in a form fit manner within an opening arranged on the second snap lock member, and wherein at least one of said snap lock members is made from a resilient material. ~~The heater as claimed in claim 1,~~ wherein the heating element includes a first interacting member designed to be positively engaged with a corresponding second interacting member on the blower fan, to hold the heating element in position relative the blower fan, whereby the heating element is releasably attachable to the blower fan, wherein the first interacting member is a first snap lock member and wherein said first snap lock member is made from a resilient material.

5. (Currently Amended) A heater for an electrical fireplace, which heater comprises a heating element and a blower fan, the blower fan being releasably attached to the heating element via interacting members that are provided on the heating element and on the blower fan, which members are designed to be positively engaged with one another to hold the heating element in position relative the blower fan, wherein the interacting members are snap lock members comprising first and second snap lock members, the first snap lock member having at least one pin designed to be positively engaged with the second snap lock member, such that the pin fits in a form fit manner within an opening arranged on the second snap lock member, and wherein at least one of said snap lock members is made from a resilient

material, ~~The heater as claimed in claim 1~~, wherein the blower fan includes a first interacting member designed to be positively engaged with a corresponding second interacting member on the heating element, to hold the blower fan in position relative the heating element, whereby the blower fan is releasably attachable to the heating element wherein the first interacting member fan is a first snap lock member, and wherein said first snap lock member is made from a resilient material.

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